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Multi-Stage AP Mechanical Pulping

With Refiner Blow Line Treatment

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Honorable Sir:

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Enclosed for filing in the subject application are the following:

- 1. Reply Brief
- 2. Request for Oral Hearing with a check in the amount of \$1,080.00

The Director is hereby (a) requested to grant any extensions of time that may be necessary and (b) authorized to charge any deficiency in the required fee(s), or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2563.

Respectfully submitted,

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